

# FISCAL NOTE

## SB 333

March 19, 2005

**SUMMARY OF BILL:** Redefines person to mean a live human being with life beginning when brain activity commences, which is five weeks after a fetus is conceived; permits abortions after the first five weeks of pregnancy only if the mother's life is at risk and after the physician certifies certain information

### ESTIMATED FISCAL IMPACT:

**Increase State Expenditures - \$2,219,200/Incarceration\***

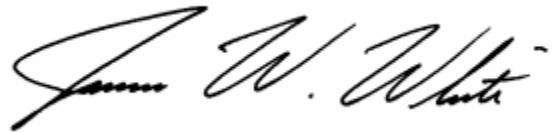
Assumptions:

- Legislation is held constitutional.
- 60 Class E felony convictions for procuring a criminal abortion.
- 120 Class C felony convictions for performing a criminal abortion.

*\*Section 9-6-119, TCA, requires that: For any law enacted after July 1, 1986, which results in a net increase in periods of imprisonment in state facilities, there shall be appropriated from recurring revenues the estimated operating cost of such law.*

### CERTIFICATION:

This is to duly certify that the information contained herein is true and correct to the best of my knowledge.

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "James W. White". The signature is fluid and cursive, with the first name "James" and last name "White" clearly distinguishable.

James W. White, Executive Director